GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

Minimum Support Price (MSP) Operations for Fair Average Quality Greengram (Moong)-Rs.4,600/- per quintal, Blackgram (Urad)-Rs.4,350/- per quintal and Redgram (Tur)-Rs.4,350/- per quintal – Bengal gram Rs. 3,100/- – Procurement by A.P. MARKFED for Kharif Marketing Season 2014-15 – Orders – Issued.

CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (CS.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.MS.No. 15.

Dated:31.10.2014

Read:

From the Under Secy. to Govt. of India, Ministry of CA, F& PD Dept. of F&PD, New Delhi, Lr.No. 4(9)/2013-Py.I, dated 07.07.2014.

ORDER:

In the reference $1^{\rm st}$ read above, Government of India have communicated the Minimum Support Prices of Kharif Crops for 2014-15 season Fair Average Quality.

- 2. Government have considered the need to undertake MSP operations for pulses during KMS 2014-15 to ensure that the farmers get MSP for their produce. The MSP rates fixed for pulses by the Govt. of India for the KMS 2014-15 are as follows:
 - 1. Red gram (Tur / Arhar): Rs.4,350/- per quintal
 - 2. Green gram (Moong): Rs.4,600/- per quintal
 - 3. Black gram (Urad): Rs.4,350/- per quintal
 - 4. Bengal gram (Chana): Rs. 3,100/- per quintal.
- 3. The operational guidelines for purchase of Green gram, Black gram and Red gram which have been communicated for KMS 2007-08 vide G.O.Ms.No.40, CA, F & CS Department dated 24.9.2007 shall apply for KMS 2014-15 except in respect of MSP. The MSP shall be as indicated in para-2 above. The Managing Director, A.P. MARKFED is requested to take immediate action to open the purchase centers, with tie up with M/s NAFED for Green gram, Black gram and Red gram in all the districts where Green gram / Black gram / Red gram are grown and in consultation with the District Collectors as has been done in the previous years. The Managing Director, A.P. MARKFED may also formulate the guidelines for procurement of pulses through the DCMSs/ PACSs / S.H.Gs of I.K.P., if need arises.
- 4. The Managing Director, A.P MARKFED shall inform the Commissioner of Civil Supplies every day about the quantity of Green gram, Black gram and Red gram purchased at MSP Centre wise.
- 5. The Uniform Specifications of Pulses for the KMS 2014-15 have not yet been received from the Government of India. On receipt of the same it will be communicated. It is informed that there may not be any change in the Uniform Specifications of Pulses for KMS 2014-15 and it is requested to procure the pulses as per the specifications of KMS 2013-14.

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6. A copy of this order is available on the internet and can be accessed at the address- www.ap.gov.in

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

B.RAJSEKHAR EX-OFFICIO SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Managing Director, A.P. MARKFED, Hyderabad.

The Commissioner of Marketing, B.R.K.R. Bhavan, Hyderabad.

Copy to:

The Spl.Chief Secretary to Government, Agrl.Markting & Coop., Hyderabad.

The Commissioner of Civil Supplies, A.P., Hyderabad

The Chief Executive Officer, SERP, Hyderabad.

All Collectors / Joint Collectors / District Supply Officers /

The Secretary to the Hon'ble Chief Minister.

The P.S to Hon'ble Minister for Food, Civil Supplies, Consumer Affairs, Legal Metrology, A.P. Hyderabad

P. S to Hon'ble Minister for Agriculture and Horticulture, A.P., Hyderabad.

P.S to Hon'ble Minister for Marketing Department, A.P. Hyderabad.

P.S. to Hon'ble Minister for Finance, A.P. Hyderabad.

The Secretary to Govt. of India, Ministry of Consumer Affairs, Food and Public Distribution (Department of Food and Public Distribution), Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi.

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SECTION OFFICER